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### TO RENT.

LET.—Tenement over mill. Tower street.

For sale, also tenement to rent. Stockwell, Barton.

### FOR SALE.

SALE.—Dry 15-inch wood, also clasp.

SALE.—Two pairs horses, weight, 2100. Good workers and drivers.

SALE.—Good top sleigh worth \$50. Call for \$20. At my residence. Mrs. Beth A. Templeton, Glover, Vt.

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ANTED.—Spruce logs, for which high price will be paid. Barton tub.

ANTED.—Enough yellow or red birch to make ten or fifteen sticks ten and a half inches square and twelve feet long. Must be large enough to have every perfect the whole length. J. W. land.

ANTED.—Woman to do housework in store and postoffice. Ages 30 to 35. A granger preferred. Wages per week and good home. Refer required as to honesty and respectability. George E. Fairbank, South sh, N. H.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

I buy live stock every other week, until further notice. S. E. Winslow, n.

ING.—Will do all kinds of furniture repairing at reasonable prices. Drop me at E. C. Brennan, Barton, Vt.

kinds of feed and flour for sale as can be bought elsewhere at W. H. ander's, Evansville, Vt.

ING.—Will do all kinds of upholstery and furniture repairing at reasonable prices. Drop me a line. E. C. Brennan, Barton, Vt.

very other week beginning Monday, 26. I will pay \$1 for calves from one to one week old. S. E. Winslow, n.

ING.—Until further notice will take only one in two weeks, commencing 28. Still buying sugar and wool. Telephone. G. S. Dodge, Barton Ldg. 481f

Trump is "King." My long suit is "Kings." My leader is "Pillsbury's." Call in and see how I play my cards at the Crystal Lake Mills. S. C. ler.

### BARTON.

A. Smith was at Newport on business Thursday.

Brooks is finishing his new house three tenements.

William Brown is sending several cars of hay to market.

rs. W. C. Johnson was ill last week but better at this writing.

here are two mails daily between West and this place now.

F. Marcy of Palmer, Mass., was in on Saturday on business.

ed Hunt of Canada visited his mother, Emily Hunt, recently.

rs. W. L. White visited relatives in St. Johnsbury Centre last Tuesday.

A. Sutor, who spent the holiday vacation at home, has gone back to college.

he tubshop is running full force and ag lots of business these days.

ess Ethel Sutor is visiting her sister, R. C. Adley at Lancaster, N. H.

V. H. Kfir has ended his work for P. J. nkett and is at work for M. W. Ricker.

ev. H. W. Worthen, a former pastor, called on friends in town last Saturday.

P. Currier, foreman in the MONITOR office, was ill at his home in Newport last week.

B. Stoddard has recently been in Massachusetts, visiting friends and also on business.

Miss Jessie Gorham goes tomorrow morning to Springfield, Mass., on a several days visit.

Regular meeting of Orleans Lodge, No. 1, at 2:30 p. m.

The afternoon study club will meet at Mrs. J. W. Murkland Thursday, Jan. 19, at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Martin have bought a house known as the Moxley place on South Church street.

Remember that Smith's lecture has been postponed from tomorrow evening to the evening of the 27th.

Mrs. Melvin Drown was called Saturday to Topsham on account of the illness of her mother at that place.

Regular meeting and installation of officers of Quimby Post Wednesday afternoon this week, the 18th.

Mrs. Geo. Gorham has returned from her visit to friends and relatives in St. Johnsbury Center and vicinity.

Miss Aurelia Demers finishes work at the Catholic parsonage this week where she has been for eight years.

Mrs. Ida Roster has been at Barton during the past week, caring for her mother, Miss Giffis, who is sick.

Rev. Father Turcot starts tomorrow for Montreal, where he will visit his mother and will also visit in St. Hyacinth, P. Q.

Business is good at the Crystal Lake house, thirty-five or forty transient guests making this a stopping place last week.

The Woman's Literary Club will give a reception in the parlors of the Congregational church, Wednesday evening, Jan. 19, 1905.

Burt Sheldon has moved from the tenement over Tower's mill into the rooms recently vacated by Dr. Hastings in the

Bean block.

Remember the annual meeting of the Barton Telephone Exchange Company Tuesday evening at 7:30, at the office of F. W. Baldwin.

Mrs. Shortleaves has moved out of P. J. Plunkett's tenement over his blacksmith shop and gone into Mr. Hanna's tenement house on High street.

Tuesday last, Rev. J. Turcot started for a brief visit with relatives in Marlboro, Mass., and Williamantic, Conn., stopping in Boston Friday on his return home.

Misses Johnson and Woodworth of Bradford, who came to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Childs, visited Mrs. Simpson and Mrs. A. M. Cutler before their return home.

A. W. Buswell, mail clerk between Newport, Vt., and Springfield, Mass., has been promoted to night duties. This gives him \$100 a year more pay and he works only every other week.

The village trustees have made arrangements with C. P. Jenness to sell the electric light lamps for the village, the price and quality of the lamps to be under the direction of the trustees.

Miss M. Theodora Auman, who has been speaking to the auxiliaries of the W. H. M. U. of this county, left on Wednesday last for her home in Lincoln, Nebraska, on account of the serious illness of her father.

The weather for the last week continued cold with occasional snow flurries. Thus far we have very little snow comparatively speaking and as yet lumbermen are unable to get into the woods to good advantage.

Letters addressed to the following named persons remain uncalled for Jan. 16: Jessie Hunt, Eva Massey, Mrs. T. Moutinny, Will Nault, Nora Sheldon, Addison Smith. Please say addressed when calling for these letters.

M. J. Smith has been getting up some fine granite monuments recently. A family monument was set up in Franklin, for Captain John Sawyer, one for Dr. J. A. Pearson in Berlin, James B. Cassidy in Stansfield, Michael Fay, A. K. Story and Anna Cassidy here.

Lang's new idea of giving a phonograph to the holder of a certain ticket who rents the machine one dollar's worth, is creating some interest. Mr. Lang is giving free entertainments with the machine in his store and the records are certainly very strong and clear.

The Modern Woodman of this place are soon to have a meeting at which a class of about twenty will join this fraternity. For a time the Woodmen have not held meetings, but the organization will soon begin the work again and we wish them prosperity.

Of the thirty clerks engaged for the Peerless sale, not one of them is idle, nor have they been since the doors were opened this morning. To the time of this writing Mr. Davis reports the largest sale ever made in so short a time, and so early in the morning.

Mr. Amos Robinson has obtained membership to the American Kennel Club and also the American Pomeranian Club. The dogs Mr. Robinson makes a specialty of are very handsome and he is doing a good business in this line, receiving as high as \$100 for one animal.

Albert Welch, a boy about fifteen years old, got quite badly hurt last Monday. He was sliding down the Twombly Hill and it being very icy he lost control of his sled and ran into a tree, hurting his head. The injury proved to be concussion of the brain and came very near being fatal. For a day he was totally blind, and was in bed during the whole week.

Next Friday night occurs the first game of the Barton Athletic Association basketball team played with an outside team. This game takes place in Seaver's Opera Hall and with the Hardwick Athletic Association team. It is reported that Hardwick has a good team and a fast game is expected. A social dance will be given after the game.

Mrs. Julia Knight was called to Greenfield, Mass., to attend the funeral of L. D. Graves, who died at that place Jan. 1. The deceased was 85 years old and greatly respected in this and the community he lived in during the latter part of his life. He left no children and much sympathy is felt for the aged widow. The deceased was a resident of Glover for many years.

Mr. F. F. Marcy of Palmer, Mass., was in town several days last week, and attended the taking of depositions in his behalf by W. R. Aldrich, attorney. The depositions of several leading lumbermen were taken, including G. H. Prouty of Newport, H. F. Pillsbury of Barton, C. S. Skinner and E. E. Doe of Barton Landing. Elisha May, Esq., appeared in behalf of parties in Chicago. The depositions were taken before Court Reporter J. C. Cattanch, commissioner, at Mr. Aldrich's office. A question of interest to the Vermont lumber trade is said to be involved in the case, which is pending in Chicago.

Basket ball enthusiasts will not stay at home tonight. Montpelier Seminary team arrives on the 5 o'clock air line and will play the academy boys in Seaver's hall this evening. Tomorrow night the Seminary team play the St. Johnsbury Academy team at St. Johnsbury. This team is a heavy strong team and plays all the larger preparatory school teams in the state, and only by special arrangement were they able to appear here tonight. Our boys have been putting in some hard practice since their last game and go into the game to win, as they have done in the previous four out of five games.

A fair-sized audience attended the basketball game, Town Team vs. Barton High School team last Wednesday evening, which resulted in a victory for the Academy team. From start to finish the game was one of

the most interesting seen in Barton. The teams were evenly matched and at no time during the game did one side have many points ahead of the other. At the end of the first half the score stood 12 to 10 in favor of the Academy, but during the second half the town team seemed to lead and until about the last thirty seconds stood one ahead of the Academy team. However a basket was made by the Academy team and they won by one score, 27 to 26.

For sometime past our artist, B. Gannon, has been working on new scenery and a new curtain for Seaver's Hall. The result is a new curtain that any artist might be proud of or that would well adorn a stage of much more grandeur. The scene is one taken from the Yellowstone Park. It shows a river and that section seen among the hills and trees and rocks gives a very touching and majestic tone to the painting. Mr. Gannon also painted the special scenery for the opera, "Golden Hair and the Three Bears." The new parlor scenery for the stage is something neat and artistic and is well suited for the work to which it will be put. Mr. Gannon has arranged the new curtain to run up on wires as do theatre curtains, thus keeping it in shape.

District Deputy Grand Marshall E. A. Cook and staff of Newport installed the following officers of Crescent Lodge No. 41, I. O. O. F., last Friday night at their hall: E. B. Robinson, N. G., Andrew Walcott, V. G., L. M. Hubbard, sec., H. D. Phillips, treas., Fred Colliston, warden, A. A. Larabee, O. S. G., Fred Richmond, conductor, J. A. Pearson, I. S. G., A. M. Cutler, R. S. N. G., Geo. Goodro, L. S. N. G., G. N. Leslie, R. S. V., G. W. McFarlane, S. S. V., G. W. McDowell, R. S. S., Milo Ricker, L. S. S., J. W. McFarlane, chaplain. This was a joint installation, the officers of Olympia Encampment No. 17 being installed at the same meeting. The officers of that encampment being: M. W. Ricker, C. P.; A. A. Larabee, S. W.; F. Colliston, J. W.; E. B. Robinson, scribe; H. D. Phillips, treas.; and Andrew Walcott, high priest. There were present at the installation W. F. Jones of Island Pond, and O. S. Dane, L. A. Spaulding, C. F. Morse and E. A. Cook, who are state officers of the I. O. O. F. After the installation refreshments were served and a general good time participated in.

Mrs. Susan Child, who has been sick for a long time at Rev. W. C. Johnson's passed away last Tuesday night. Mrs. Child was probably the oldest person in town, having been born on Sept. 5, 1808 at Royalton, Vt. When a young lady she married, and lived at Lebanon, N. H. Her husband having died about 1854, she has since lived a widow. She bought a little place at Northfield and resided at that place until thirty years ago, when she came to Barton Landing to live with Mr. Curtis Johnson, and from that time she has, with the exception of four years, lived in the Johnson family. She was the eldest and last of a family of four children. She was of Revolutionary stock, both her grandfathers having fought in the Revolution. Her father, William Woodworth, was a very prominent Methodist at Royalton, and often entertained such representatives of the church as Wilbur Fisk, Bishop Hedding and other Methodist pioneers of notoriety. Mrs. Child was for many years a member of the Methodist church, active, energetic, doing her part cheerfully in any good cause according as her help was needed. For the last twelve years she has been unable to do much work, and for the last two years her mind has been clouded most of the time, and she has been a great care, requiring constant ministrations from the family. But during all this time she has been faithfully and tenderly looked after by the family where she resided. The funeral was attended at the parsonage Thursday, Rev. A. B. Blake officiating, and the remains were taken to Barton Landing for burial. Of relatives present at the funeral we mention two nieces, Miss Mary Johnson and Miss Frances Woodworth of Bradford, and her nephew, Rev. W. C. Johnson and his family.

### M. E. Church Notes.

Subject of sermon Sunday morning is "How to Come into Immortality."

Union prayer meeting at Methodist Episcopal church vestry Thursday evening at 7:30.

Epworth League Tuesday evening at 7:30. Leader Gordon Davis: Subject, "Am I my Brother's Keeper?"

The Methodist choir was very pleasantly entertained at J. W. Murkland's at the choir rehearsal last Thursday evening.

The choir will sing next Sunday morning, "O, Clap Your Hands All Ye People," by Holden. Dr. and Mrs. Blake will sing the offertory, a duet entitled "Love Divine, All Love Excelling," by Henry Smart.

At the annual election of officers of the Odd Girls' Society last Friday evening, the following officers were elected: President Mrs. B. B. Jerome; vice president, Mrs. H. C. Gay; secretary, Mrs. W. R. Aldrich; treasurer, Mrs. P. L. Webster.

The Ladies' Aid will meet in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 18. The election of officers will take place at 4 o'clock. Members are requested to be present and furnish for the tables. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

### Congregational Church Notes.

Next Sunday morning Mr. Warner will continue his lectures on "Joseph." The choir will sing "Seek Ye the Lord," by Macy, and Mr. Winslow will sing for an offertory, "Guide Thou My Bark," by Sanks.

Among the many beautiful responses sent by members who could not be present at the roll-call of the Cong. church on Friday night was a short poem by Laura

Case, which was read by her sister, Mrs. H. J. Stannard.

The annual meeting and roll call of the Congregational church was held in the vestry on Friday evening of last week. After a beautiful supper the meeting was opened by the pastor. The clerk's report showed 132 members, a gain of twelve over last year, and benevolences of \$239 40. The following officers were elected: clerk, H. J. Stannard; permanent deacon, O. D. Rowell; deacons, F. W. Baldwin, J. R. Colliston; examining committee, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Gilman, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stannard. At roll call 64 members were found present and 25 others sent responses.

### St. Paul's Church Notes.

Rehearsals are being held by the Young People's Society of St. Paul's church for a play to be presented in the near future, entitled "Valley Farm."

There were no services at St. Paul's church yesterday, Father Turcot being on his mission to Lowell. The subject of his sermon there was "The Wedding of Cana."

Today at nine o'clock a marriage was performed at the Catholic church by Rev. J. Turcot, the contracting parties being Mariel Genesee of Lowell and Miss Dora Gaudette of Irasburg.

On Sunday, Jan. 1, Father Turcot delivered a very interesting and appropriate sermon on the New Year with many good and helpful suggestions for the coming year. The same sermon was repeated in French in the evening.

### BARTON LANDING.

Mrs. L. D. Nute of Marshfield visited at Mrs. Ira Edson's for a few days recently.

Messrs. Turnbull and French were in Boston last week in the interest of the bank.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the Barton Landing post-office: Mrs. J. E. Berwick, Clarence Brooks.

Mr. Charles Hartwell moves to-day from the tenement in H. S. Webster's house to the tenement in J. W. Fletcher's house.

The lecture by Charles Emory Smith of the Barton Lecture Course, which was to have been given Jan. 17, is postponed to Jan. 27.

Mrs. Lona Bell and Miss Ina Marble, who have been visiting relatives here, go this week to Troy and Westfield to spend several weeks with friends and relatives there.

The following is copied from the St. Albans Messenger of Jan. 11, 1905:

"An address on 'The Cream Gathering System vs. Milk,' was delivered before the meeting of the Vermont Dairymen's Association in Montpelier this morning by J. G. Turnbull of Barton Landing. The speaker believed the cream gathering system was better than carrying milk to a creamery and when the cream was gathered, it was saving of time for the farmer, who can separate his cream at home."

Last Saturday as Howard Bartlett was visiting with other children at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Willey, the chair in which he was standing was tipped over and he fell to the floor, receiving a severe injury to one of his arms. Little Howard was very sick all last winter and he has the sympathy of all in this new trouble.

Remember the date of the social visit and oyster supper for the benefit of Rev. S. G. Lewis, at the M. E. church next Thursday evening, Jan. 19. Supper will be served from six to eight o'clock, or until all are served, after which a program, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, will be given. The Barton Landing orchestra will furnish music.

The Book and Thimble Club met with Mrs. Webster on Thursday. It was voted that the club have a memorial program on Feb. 9, in memory of our late president, Mrs. Locke. The following papers were given on "The Ruling Forces of Russia": "The Czar," by Mrs. Ordway, "The Bureaucracy," by Mrs. Rowell, "The Greek Church," by Mrs. J. B. Lyman, "Veretachagan," by Miss Eaton. The club will meet with Mrs. C. S. Skinner, Jan. 19, at 2 o'clock.

The articles appearing on another page of this paper on Barton Landing are written by a citizen of the place. While we are giving considerable space to the writer we believe the village worthy of all the praise given it. We may have said things that would have been better left unsaid and may not have said things that ought to have been said, but if so it is without our knowledge and if they are read with the same spirit with which they are published, we feel sure that the village cannot fail to realize a great benefit from the same. (PUBLISHER.)

### SOUTH BARTON.

John Barr is better.

Mrs. Jane Duke is on the sick list.

Carroll Collins spent Saturday and Sunday in Glover.

George Duke from Lyndonville recently visited his mother.

F. F. Marcy from Palmer, Mass., was in town on business one day last week.

H. B. Orcutt from Barton has commenced drawing logs for P. H. Duke.

Mrs. David Spicer and Mrs. Foss from Hardwick visited Mrs. E. C. Duval, Jan. 12.

Mrs. Alice Sawyer and daughter, Grace, from Morrisville are visiting at Mrs. A. J. Daniels'.

C. A. Barber is drawing logs for Ritchie and Ufford and is boarding with Duncan McFarland.

Mrs. Frank Robbins from Lyndonville, who has been visiting in town, has returned home.

G. I. Drown and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. H. J. Brook's in Westmore, one day last week.

Fred Robbins, who moved to Lyndonville last fall, is now moving back to his farm in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Nelson from Barton recently visited Mrs. Nelson's sister, Mrs. W. T. Brooks.

P. H. Duke and wife visited their daughters, Mrs. L. H. and I. H. Gordon, at Lyndonville recently.

### ALBANY.

F. W. Tenney has returned from a visit to his son in Portland, Me.

Mrs. Geneva McCaffrey is stopping with her aunt, Mrs. O. M. Delano.

Mrs. L. B. Nute of Marshfield is visiting her sister, Mrs. Della Honey.

There will be a donation and oyster supper at the M. E. vestry Tuesday evening, Jan. 24.

Elias Searles has so far recovered as to be moved from his father's house to his own home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bazette from Burlington have come to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. William Sawtelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dezotelle celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGuire have been visiting their brother Ernest in Boston. Mr. McGuire has returned home, but Mrs. McGuire will remain a few days.

The donation at the Congregational vestry last Wednesday evening for benefit of Rev. James Billington was a success socially and netted the society about \$70.

A goodly number met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rogers Wednesday, Jan. 4th, to remind them of their 30th wedding anniversary, friends from Barton and Glover being present, also Mr. and Mrs. Corey from Barnston, Que. After dinner games were in order and a social time enjoyed, the friends leaving a fine souvenir of the occasion.

The Congregational church held its annual donation on Wednesday evening, which was largely attended, a bountiful supper was greatly enjoyed by an appreciative company, who did full justice to the tasty provisions temptingly set before them by the ladies of the congregation. Preceding the supper a lecture was delivered by the Rev. James Billington, pastor, on "Tennyson," which included a brief epitome of his life, with selections from his poems, showing the various moods and wide range of the poet's thoughts and fancies. Music was rendered by Mr. D. L. McGuire and Mrs. F. H. Pierce, with Mrs. Dennis L. McGuire as accompanist. The proceeds amounted to \$70.

### DEFERRED LOCALS.

Dr. A. M. Goddard was quite sick last week.

Mrs. Helen Campbell has had a monument placed on her lot in the cemetery.

Jesse and Cornelius Rogers were in Montpelier Sunday, Jan. 1, to attend the funeral of an uncle.

The village schools finished last Friday. The teachers, Miss Grace Sheehan and Miss Annie Graham, have returned to their homes.

W. K. Annis will finish his work on the opera house at Barton Landing this week and expects to be at home the remainder of the winter.

### EAST ALBANY.

We regret to record the painful fact of the death of Mrs. Addie M. Hunter, wife of F. C. Hunter of this place, who died last Monday. Mrs. Hunter has been in poor health for three years. In the autumn of 1902 she went to Montreal to have a surgical operation and has never fully recovered from the effects. Miss Addie M. Pierce was born in Burke in 1846, where she lived until her marriage to Mr. F. C. Hunter, on Dec. 31, 1868; at that time she came to this place and has always lived on the home farm until her death. She was a member of the Baptist church for many years, a faithful, conscientious Christian. During her sickness she has been a great sufferer, but has borne her sufferings with much patience and resignation. She was a lady much beloved by her neighbors and acquaintances, industrious, cheerful, kindhearted, a friend to the poor and ready to lend a helping hand to the needy, always. The whole community feel deeply their loss in her decease. The funeral was held at the house Wednesday, Rev. Albert Gregory officiating. The remains were taken to East Burke for burial. Many of her former friends gathered at the grave and the casket was opened that they might view the face of their friend. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, a son, V. F. Hunter, of Barton, and a sister, Mrs. William Brockway, of East Burke, besides many distant relatives and friends.

CARD OF THANKS.—We the undersigned relatives of the deceased take this method of extending to our neighbors and friends, our most heartfelt thanks for their kindness, sympathy and ministries of love, during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother. May heaven's richest blessings attend you during life, in the wish of the stricken ones whom you have befriended during our great sorrow. F. C. HUNTER, V. F. HUNTER, MRS. LOUISE HUNTER.

### NORTH ALBANY.

Mrs. Mason of West Albany, who has been here caring for her daughter for a few days, has returned to her home.

A young man of nine pounds' weight, came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young, Jan. 5th, and proves a very welcome boarder.

### DEFERRED LOCALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Courser went to Troy to spend New Year's with a cousin of Mr. Courser's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Daniels have returned from a two weeks' visit among relatives in Canada.

Mrs. Ida Smith of Greensboro and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Webster and family of South Albany, spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keith of this place.

### BROWNINGTON.

Benjamin Burroughs is gaining.

Mr. George Goling, who has been sick a better.

Miss Katherine Hitchins is helping care for Mrs. J. M. Wyman.

Mrs. Alice M. Grow, who has been suffering from throat trouble, is better.

Mrs. J. M. Wyman, who has been suffering from quinsy sore for several weeks, is better.

Mr. Carlos Pierce of Newport is ill at the home of his father in this place. Mr. Pierce served in the Spanish-American war and has never been well since. Dr. L. Young of Evansville is attending him.

### EVANSVILLE.

Mrs. L. A. Drown is at home again.

Don't forget the donation Jan. 19th.

Mrs. Hector Laclier has been quite sick.

Mrs. Buck has been suffering from rheumatism.

Mrs. W. B. Guild spent a few days in Newark last week.

Eugene Alexander of Derby is looking after the grain business here.

Harrie Bickford and family of Sheffield, visited friends here last week.

H. I. Smith has recently been confined to the house with rheumatism.

Geo. Pitchford and Geo. Dwyer have finished work for the Pike Mfg. Co.

Lulu Smith is working in the Davis store at Barton during the Peerless sale.

Lewis Willey's wife is very sick with pneumonia, and has a trained nurse from Newbury to care for her.

At the schoolhouse Thursday evening, Feb. 2, "The District School at Blueberry Corners," a drama in three acts, will be played by the school, assisted by local talent. Proceeds will be used to purchase a set of cabinet maps for the school. Admission 15 cents.

### BROWNINGTON CENTER.

Steven Nichols of Morgan visited at Lucius Lund's and called on other friends last week.

Ethel Bates, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. D. I. Grapes, at Barton, has returned home.

Marion, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seavey, has been seriously ill, but is better at this writing.